

Remarks/Arguments

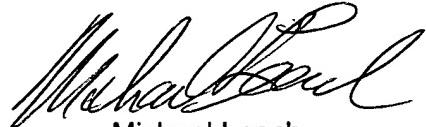
Claim 2 was objected to because it did not end with a "period". Claim 2 has been amended to remedy this deficiency. .

Claims 1-19 are provisionally rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over Claims 1-17 of copending Application No. 10/385,576 in view of US 5,489,618.

Enclosed is a Terminal Disclaimer obviating this rejection.

Believing the application is now in condition for allowance. Applicants solicit an action to that effect.

Respectfully submitted,



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